

FILED IN THE
U.S. DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

Feb 07, 2022

SEAN F. McAVOY, CLERK

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

JAMES M. HARTJEN,

Plaintiff,

v.

GOOGLE,

Defendant.

No. 2:21-CV-00343-SAB

**ORDER DISMISSING ACTION
FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY
WITH FILING FEE AND *IN*
FORMA PAUPERIS
REQUIREMENTS**

By Order filed January 5, 2022, the Court directed Plaintiff James M. Hartjen, a person facing criminal charges and confined at the Eastern State Hospital, to comply with 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(2), which requires a prisoner seeking to bring a civil action without prepayment of the filing fee to submit a certified copy of his trust fund account statement (or institutional equivalent) for the six months immediately preceding the filing of the complaint on December 10, 2021. ECF No. 11. The Court cautioned Plaintiff that his failure to comply with these requirements or to pay the full \$402.00 filing fee within **thirty days** would result in the file being closed. *Id.* Plaintiff neither paid the filing fee nor submitted his account statement by the due date of February 4, 2022.

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**ORDER DISMISSING ACTION FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH
FILING FEE AND *IN FORMA PAUPERIS* REQUIREMENTS *1**

1 Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

2 1. This action is **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE** for failure to
3 pay the filing fee or comply with the *in forma pauperis* requirements of 28 U.S.C.
4 §§ 1914, 1915.

5 2. The Clerk's Office is directed to **ENTER JUDGMENT** and **CLOSE**
6 the file.

7 3. The Court certifies any appeal of this dismissal would not be taken in
8 good faith.

9 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The Clerk's Office is directed to enter this Order and
10 provide copies to *pro se* Plaintiff at his last known address.

11 **DATED** this 7th day of February 2022.



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18 Chief United States District Judge
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